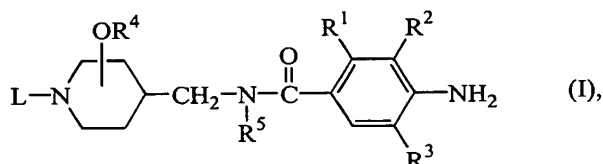


## ABSTRACT

BICYCLIC BENZAMIDES OF 3- OR 4-SUBSTITUTED  
4-(AMINOMETHYL)-PIPERIDINE DERIVATIVES

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The present invention of compounds of formula (I)



a stereochemically isomeric form thereof, an *N*-oxide form thereof or a pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salt thereof,  $R^1$  and  $R^2$  taken together form a bivalent radical of formula wherein in said bivalent radicals one or two hydrogen atoms may be substituted with  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl;  $R^3$  is hydrogen or halo;  $R^4$  is hydrogen or  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl;  $R^5$  is hydrogen or  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl;  $L$  is  $C_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl,  $C_{5-6}$ cycloalkanone,  $C_{2-6}$ alkenyl, or  $L$  is a radical of formula  $-Alk-R^6-$ ,  $Alk-X-R^7$ ,  $-Alk-Y-C(=O)-R^9$ , or  $-Alk-Y-C(=O)-NR^{11}R^{12}$  wherein each  $Alk$  is  $C_{1-12}$ alkanediyl; and  $R^6$  is hydrogen, cyano,  $C_{1-6}$ alkylsulfonylamino,  $C_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl,  $C_{5-6}$ cycloalkanone, or a heterocyclic ringsystem;  $R^7$  is hydrogen,  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl, hydroxy $C_{1-6}$ alkyl,  $C_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl, or a heterocyclic ringsystem;  $X$  is  $O$ ,  $S$ ,  $SO_2$  or  $NR^8$ ; said  $R^8$  being hydrogen or  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl;  $R^9$  is hydrogen,  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl,  $C_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl,  $C_{1-6}$ alkyloxy or hydroxy;  $Y$  is  $NR^{10}$  or a direct bond; said  $R^{10}$  being hydrogen, or  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl;  $R^{11}$  and  $R^{12}$  each independently are hydrogen,  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl,  $C_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl, or  $R^{11}$  and  $R^{12}$  combined with the nitrogen atom may form an optionally substituted pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, piperazinyl or 4-morpholinyl ring. Processes for preparing said products, formulations comprising said products and their use as a medicine are disclosed, in particular for treating conditions which are related to impairment of gastric emptying.